that feeling just here, in this perpetually sunny October air, in this happy elfin play of the wind from morn till eve, In this clearest of atmospheres and mildest of temperatures, in all the serious yet cheerful landscape of hill, lake, and forest on this plateau, which has encamped fearlessly next to the terrors of eternal snow: here, where Italy and Finland have joined hands, and where the home of all the silver colour-tones of Nature seems to be established. How happy must he be who can say," True, there are many grander and finer pieces of scenery, but this is so familiar and intimate to me, related by blood, nay even more to me!"

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AFFABILITY OF THE SAGE.—The sage will unconsciously be affable in his intercourse with other men, as a prince would be, and will readily treat them as equals, in spite of all differences of talent, rank, and character. For this characteristic, however, so scon as people notice it, he is most heavily censured.

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GOLD.—All that is gold does not glitter. A soft sheen characterises the most precious metal.

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WHEEL AND DRAG.—The wheel and the drag have different duties, but also one in common—that of hurting each other.